

**Citizens Bancshares Co.  
Disclosure Statement  
Rule 15c2-11(5) and Rule 144(c)(2)  
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**1. The exact name of the issuer and its predecessor (if any):**

The exact name of the issuer is Citizens Bancshares Co.

**2. The address of the issuer's principal executive offices:**

7280 NW 87<sup>th</sup> Terrace, Suite 300  
Kansas City, Missouri 64153  
Telephone: 816.459.4000  
Website: [gocitizens.bank](http://gocitizens.bank)

**3. The state of incorporation:**

The issuer is incorporated in Missouri.

**4. The exact title and class of the securities:**

The issuer's securities are common stock.

**5. The par or stated value of the securities:**

The par value of the issuer's common stock is \$.01 per share.

**6. The number of shares or total amount of the securities outstanding as of the end of the issuer's most recent fiscal year:**

There were 2,346,915 shares of common stock outstanding at March 31, 2019.

**7. The name and address of the firm that facilitates stock purchases and sales:**

Mr. Joe Hadel  
Vice President  
First Trust of MidAmerica  
2401 N. 7 Highway, P.O. Box 30  
Pleasant Hill, Missouri 64080

Telephone: 816-540-6480  
Email: [jhadel@cbpphone.net](mailto:jhadel@cbpphone.net)  
Fax: 816-540-2530

**8. The name and address of the stock transfer agent:**

Written Requests

Computershare  
P.O. Box 30170  
College Station, TX  
77842-3170

Overnight Delivery

Computershare  
462 South 4<sup>th</sup> St.,  
Suite 1600  
Louisville, KY  
40202

Telephone Inquiries: 800-962-4284 (US)  
781-575-3120 (outside the US)

Email Inquiries: [web.queries@computershare.com](mailto:web.queries@computershare.com)

Shareholder Website: [www.computershare.com/investor](http://www.computershare.com/investor)

**9. The nature of the issuer's business:**

The issuer is a bank holding company and the parent company of a wholly-owned subsidiary, Citizens Bank & Trust Company. Citizens Bank & Trust Company is a full-service banking institution and trust company.

**10. The nature of products or services offered:**

As a financial institution, the issuer's subsidiary, Citizens Bank & Trust Company provides a wide-range of loan and deposit products and services. The Wealth Management Division provides trust financial advice and services, including brokerage services, asset management, estate planning and retirement planning.

**11. The nature and extent of the issuer's facilities:**

The issuer's subsidiary, Citizens Bank & Trust Company has 20 banking locations serving communities in Northwest Missouri and the Kansas City metropolitan area.

**12. The name of the chief executive officer and members of the board of directors:**

Don O. Walsworth, Chairman & Director  
Roger M. Arwood, Chief Executive Officer, President & Director  
William E. Young, Director  
Edward D. Douglas, Chairman Emeritus & Director  
James L. Gegg, Director  
Gene Millard, Director  
Dr. David M. Neal, Director  
W. L. (Barry) Orscheln, Director  
Patrick W. Thorne, Director  
Don O. Walsworth, Jr., Director

**13. The issuer's most recent balance sheet and profit and loss and retained earnings statements:**

See unaudited financial statements as of March 31, 2019 at the end of this document.

**14. Similar financial information for the preceding fiscal year:**

The financial statements that are referenced in Item 13 also contain comparative information as of December 31, 2018.

**15. Whether the broker or dealer of any associated person is affiliated, directly or indirectly with the issuer:**

n/a

**16. Whether the quotation is being published or submitted on behalf of any other broker or dealer, and, if so, the name of such broker or dealer:**

n/a

**17. Whether the quotation is being submitted or published directly or indirectly on behalf of the issuer, or any director, officer or any person, directly or indirectly the beneficial owner of more than 10 percent of the outstanding units or shares of any equity security of the issuer, and, if so, the name of such person, and the basis for any exemption under the federal securities laws for any sales of such securities on behalf of such person:**

n/a

# Citizens Bancshares Company

**Consolidated Financial Report**  
**March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018**  
**(Unaudited)**

Citizens Bancshares Company

Consolidated Balance Sheets

Periods Ended March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018

Unaudited (Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Data)

Assets	3/31/2019	12/31/2018
Cash and due from banks	\$ 56,223	\$ 20,987
Federal funds sold	-	-
<b>Cash and cash equivalents</b>	56,223	20,987
Securities available for sale	150,101	148,127
Loans, net	583,335	601,902
Cash surrender value of life insurance	20,860	20,742
Premises and equipment, net	18,584	19,159
Accrued interest receivable	4,177	3,457
Other real estate owned	7,010	7,010
Federal Home Loan Bank stock	998	3,020
Deferred income taxes, net	8,802	9,614
Other assets	5,453	1,669
	\$ 855,543	\$ 835,687
<b>Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>		
Liabilities		
Deposits		
Non-interest-bearing	\$ 117,907	\$ 122,426
NOW, money market, and savings	390,736	345,091
Certificates of deposit	219,400	197,618
<b>Total deposits</b>	728,043	665,135
Securities sold under agreement to repurchase	19,083	19,748
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	-	49,080
Other borrowings	12,500	12,500
Accrued interest payable	644	547
Other liabilities	7,459	3,182
<b>Total liabilities</b>	767,729	750,192
Commitments and Contingencies		
Stockholders' equity		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 5,000,000 shares authorized; 2,561,600 shares issued	26	26
Additional paid-in capital	8,368	8,302
Retained earnings	84,584	83,542
Treasury stock, at cost (214,685 shares)	(4,900)	(4,900)
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(264)	(1,475)
<b>Total stockholders' equity</b>	87,814	85,495
	\$ 855,543	\$ 835,687

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Consolidated Statements of Income

Periods Ended March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018

Unaudited (Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Data)

	3/31/2019	12/31/2018
Interest income		
Loans, including fees	\$ 7,475	\$ 27,182
Securities	1,177	5,156
Federal funds sold and other	147	230
	<u>8,799</u>	<u>32,568</u>
Interest expense		
Deposits	1,528	4,256
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	49	1,334
Federal funds purchased and repurchase agreements	85	294
Other borrowed funds	234	985
	<u>1,896</u>	<u>6,869</u>
Net interest income	6,903	25,699
Provision for loan losses	26	107
Net interest income after provision for loan losses	<u>6,877</u>	<u>25,592</u>
Noninterest income		
Service charges and commissions	793	3,437
Fees for fiduciary services	556	2,164
Net gain (loss) on sale of securities	-	(513)
Net gain (loss) on sale of branches, premises and equipment	-	(13)
Net gain (loss) on sales of other real estate	-	143
Increase in cash surrender value of life insurance	118	484
Other	642	2,650
	<u>2,109</u>	<u>8,352</u>
Noninterest expense		
Salaries and employee benefits	3,994	13,970
Occupancy	1,501	5,753
FDIC assessments	62	342
Expenses on other real estate owned and repossessed assets	14	137
Professional fees	145	216
Telecommunications, postage, and delivery	230	947
Advertising and marketing	141	705
Office Supplies	36	134
Other	724	4,439
	<u>6,847</u>	<u>26,643</u>
Income (loss) before income taxes	2,139	7,301
Income tax expense (benefit)	510	1,463
Net income (loss)	<u>\$ 1,629</u>	<u>\$ 5,838</u>

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Consolidated Statements of Stockholders' Equity

Periods Ended March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018

Unaudited (Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Data)

	Common Stock	Preferred Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Treasury Stock	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (loss)	Total Stockholders' Equity
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$ 26	\$ -	\$ 5,400	\$ 77,704	\$ (9,464)	\$ (159)	\$ 73,507
Comprehensive income:							
Net income (loss)	-	-	-	5,838	-	-	5,838
Change in net unrealized gain (loss) on securities available for sale, net of reclassification and tax effects	-	-	-	-	-	(1,316)	(1,316)
Total comprehensive income							4,522
Cash dividends declared on preferred stock	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stock Compensation Expense	-	-	266	-	-	-	266
Treasury Stock sold	-	-	2,636	-	4,564	-	7,200
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 26	\$ -	\$ 8,302	\$ 83,542	\$ (4,900)	\$ (1,475)	\$ 85,495
Comprehensive income:							
Net income (loss)	-	-	-	1,629	-	-	1,629
Change in net unrealized gain (loss) on securities available for sale, net of reclassification and tax effects	-	-	-	-	-	1,211	1,211
Total comprehensive income							2,840
Cash dividends declared on preferred stock	-	-	-	(587)	-	-	(587)
Stock Compensation Expense	-	-	66	-	-	-	66
Treasury Stock sold	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance at March 31, 2019	\$ 26	\$ -	\$ 8,368	\$ 84,584	\$ (4,900)	\$ (264)	\$ 87,814